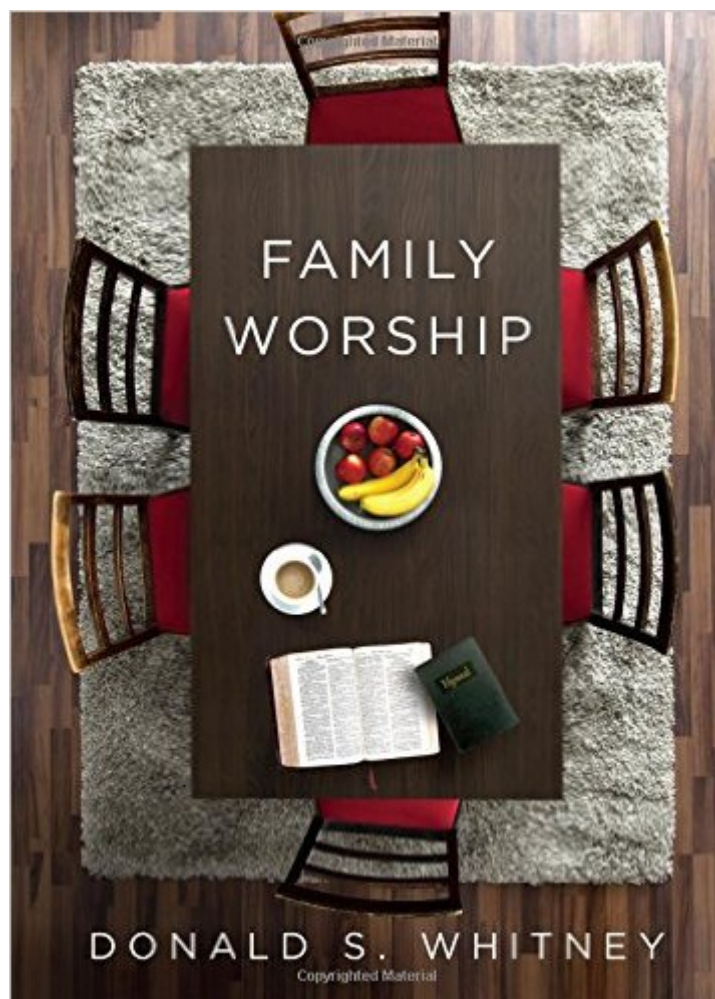


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# Family Worship



## Synopsis

Gathering together for worship is an indispensable part of your family's spiritual life. It is a means for God to reveal himself to you and your loved ones in a powerful way. This practical guide by Donald S. Whitney will prove invaluable to families "with or without children in the home" as they practice God-glorifying, Christ-exalting worship through Bible reading, prayer, and singing. Includes a discussion guide in the back for small groups. Sign up for a free 5-day email course on family worship at [crossway.org/FamilyWorship101](http://crossway.org/FamilyWorship101).

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## Customer Reviews

This was ok, but again, not a good value. Maybe 3/4 of the book was about why you should have family worship. If I needed to be convinced on that, I wouldn't be into this book. The method was pretty simple, which is encouraging (since a regular family worship time is such a rarity in our culture). I just don't think it had enough helpful info in the how-to or even suggestions or tips for where to get ideas to engage your family in worship. I don't feel lost, but I don't feel as informed as I'd like to having read a book on family worship.

This is a great and encouraging book for anyone looking to start a family devotion. Even if you have never done one before and do not know where to begin the author lays out a very simple and understandable plan that any believer, whether new in their faith or deeply rooted, can do. Highly recommend this book for every man trying to get started in leading his family in worship.

The book succinctly lays out the reasons to have family worship and has encouraged me to start. However, as a book it lacks enough content to make it worth what I paid. If your looking for the biblical reasons to have family worship purchase the book, otherwise "read, pray, and sing" on a daily basis.

Great book. Every Christian family should read and follow it. You can take your kids to church, send them to a Christian school, and tell them the Gospel, but until they have a daily time in the Word and prayer with mom and dad, they will not know this is as serious as daily meals and baths (but of far greater consequence). Congratulations to Don Whitney for putting so much conviction and encouragement in so few pages and at an affordable price for everyone. Pastors should give one to every member of their congregation!

This book gave great encouragement to me as I read through its pages. Not only does he root his argument in the Bible, as the foundation, but he builds some extremely sturdy walls with church history. Even if you just became a believer yesterday, this book will show you how you can go about leading Family Worship. If your husband is not a believer, this book will explain what to do. If you do not currently have a time of regular Family Worship, then this book is a must buy.

I am a local pastor and have been searching for a simple, but biblical guide to give to church members that will encourage them in beginning family worship. The search is over! Dr. Whitney was my professor at Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary and an elder at my local church in Kansas City. He is a man of great integrity and has a sharp, biblical mind. His ability to distill the biblical and historical evidence for the validity of family worship is fantastic. This booklet is simple to read, yet rich with theological truth and practical exhortations to begin the journey of worshipping God at home. I would highly recommend this to any Christian who wants to see a spiritual reformation at home, as well as to any pastor who wants to see his church members be obedient to Deuteronomy 6. Thanks Dr. Whitney for another profitable work that is bearing fruit in my home and in my ministry! Soli Deo Gloria!

This book is a terrific read. Whitney lays out the scriptural case for family worship in a concise and easy to ended stand way. He brings in a myriad of examples in church history, then lays out a very simple and practical way that we can all lead our families. It's a quick read and one that i can see sharing with many folks in the future.

Family Worship is a great read for parents, grandparents, and married couples. As Whitney writes, "Family worship is for couples, not just parents." If you are one of the many Christians who sees the need for family worship but doesn't know much about the subject or where to begin, grab a copy of this book. It's direct, easy to read, and rather short. As a friend of mine once said of a similar small sized book, "if we can't read this book, we are really in trouble." If you can read, you can find the time to read this book. I encourage you to set aside the eight dollars and an hour or so of your time to learn about family worship. And now I'll let Whitney have the last word: "We need to accept the fact that in this sinful world, challenges to family worship arise regularly in every home. The blessings of family worship are too dangerous for Satan to let pass unopposed. Nevertheless, we must stand on the bedrock truth: God deserves to be worshiped daily in our homes by our families. And for that reason, start today."

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